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CURRENT TOPICS.

BUFFALO BILL'S wife has applied for a divorce. She bathing by moonlight or starlight is an oration.

SEYMOUR RUDOLPH once fought two duels in one day.

In the Mexican church choir no woman is allowed to sing.

There are 1,400,000 cigarettes smoked in this country annually.

They are raising peaches ten inches in circumference at Bentonville, Ark.

The hop crop of the Mohawk Valley, N. Y., is said never to be drier in quality.

All the Vanderbilt roads will do away with the deadly car stove this winter.

The Pacific Railway Commission will sit in New York from September 30 to October 1.

American wind-mills are helping Egypt's grain growers to compete with Western farmers.

A little child near Charlotte, Mich., fell into a milk can head first and was drowned.

Counterfeit two-dollar silver certificates are giving considerable trouble in New Jersey.

In Milan, they have no sidewalks; but the entire street is paved smoothly from house to house.

The people of this country spend \$22,000,000 a year for silks. Less than half of it is woven here.

Victorians are in the social brood about a coming marriage of a Duke to an "American girl."

The great Tower of Babel which is to distinguish the French Exhibition of 1889 is gradually rising.

Mark Twain, the richest humorist in the world, is an inveterate smoker and an unending hillside player.

Employees of the Pennsylvania railroad are to organize independent assemblies of the Knights of Labor.

It is said that Flood and Mackay lost \$5,000,000 in the recent attempted wheat corner in San Francisco.

General Blaine, the Pension Commissioner, draws the largest pension enjoyed by any soldier—\$25 a week.

An O'Neil (Neb.) girl found of a second wedding in the ground and indeed unburied in her rubber boots.

It is said of Russell Sage that he can command \$500,000 in cash in half an hour any time during business hours.

Tenacis still another railroad danger that must go along with the car stove and the wooden bridge—the grade crossing.

An Eusebius (Cal.) paper speaks of matrimony as so plentiful in that section that it is the cheapest kind of fuel for domestic use.

J. R. Shuman, of Cape Charles, Va., has raised \$10,000 worth of kale from fifty acres, or \$200 per acre. His net profit is \$12,500, or \$250 per acre.

This public debt has been reduced at the average rate of \$33,749,975 each year, \$174,130 each day, and \$120.47 for every minute of the last twenty-two years.

At Keyport, Kan., the other day, a man was found dead in the woods with a child playing beside the dead body, but too young to convey any information.

When a horse with the cognomen of Laggard wins a \$10,000 purse, the eternal usefulness of things on this mundane sphere receives another striking illustration.

Johns, had young man been writing love letters to the daughter of Jay Gould, and her brother explains to a reporter that the writer has never seen the young lady.

MILLIONAIRE MACKAY, of California, has received the cross of the legion of honor from the French Government for making Havre the terminus of his Atlantic cable.

Mr. Rogers is the catkin Queen of Texas, said to be worth \$1,000,000. Her husband is a preacher, and Mrs. Rogers looks after the business end of the establishment.

President Cleveland's invitation to Pittsburgh is to be engraved on a steel plate, which is to be rolled until it is only three thousandths of an inch in thickness and can be rolled together in the form of a scroll.

WHARTON DAKER, of Philadelphia, is at the head of the American syndicate which has just secured such extensive concessions in China for banking, building railroads, telegraphs and telephones, development, etc.

The death of Prof. Hurd before completing his sixty-fifth year shows that men of science do not always understand the science of life. A man of his powerful physique and great abilities should have lived at least eighty years.

Now to be outdone by Yan Phoo Lee, the Chinaman, Jo Kichi Takomini, a Japanese nobleman has just married Miss Carrie Hinch, a beautiful Creole belle of New Orleans. There seems to be no limit to the enterprise of American girls.

A photograph, said to be one of the largest in the world, has been taken of the United States Treasury building at Washington. It measures seven feet by four and is to be presented to ex-Secretary of the Treasury, Daniel R. Manning.

This real estate organ in Southern California has even denationalized the doctors. In writing a prescription recently one of them added this direction: "Take one-third down and the remainder in one and two years, secured by mortgage."

SEVEN thousand people assembled at City Point, Boston, the other day, to witness a series of swimming matches between dogs. The contestants swam from a barge anchored about half a mile off shore to a point within a short distance of land.

Dr. SPENCER F. BARKER, the deceased secretary of the Smithsonian Institute, is the author of more than 1,200 books, pamphlets and publications of various kinds.

ELLEN EVANS, of the Shaker community near Lebanon, Columbia County, N. Y., has just celebrated her eighty-fifth birthday. For fifty-five years she has abstained from eating behind bush.

CONQUERED.

Going Through the Treacherous Rapids in a Boat.

Perilous Trip Made by the Inventor of a Craft Calculated to Stop Turbulent Seas of Their Terror.

BUFFALO, N. Y., Aug. 28.—C. A. Percy, a wagon-maker of Suspension Bridge, went through the Niagara rapids this afternoon in a life-saving apparatus resembling a life-boat. The trip was attended with much danger, and of which was the likelihood of the craft being destroyed by sunken rocks. Large crowds along the banks of the gorge saw the experiment. Percy's invention is a seven-foot long and nearly five feet wide, is shaped like a surf-boat and covered with water-proof canvas. The keel is weighted with three hundred pounds of iron plate and strongly ribbed. The whole weight is nine hundred pounds. At each end is an air chamber six and a half feet long, and between them is another space four feet long, which can be utilized to carry passengers; provision is made for using oars. These chambers can be imperiously closed, and the only trouble seems to be the air supply. Percy claims that his invention is self-righting, self-balancing and perfectly safe in a heavy sea. His idea of testing it in the whirlpool and rapids was to demonstrate the quality and make money by exhibiting it subsequently in the gorge. The start was made from the old Maid of the Mist landing from which all the barrel navigators have left. Percy changed his attire, fixed up a drag consisting of a thirty-pound weight and a ten-foot line, and then rowed out toward the Canadian shore. The undercurrent had no effect on the drag. At half-past three Percy pulled in his oars, and as the boat drifted rapidly toward the whirlpool rapids, entered the rear air chamber. At twenty-five minutes of four o'clock the boat passed under the bridge. It was tossed about in the big breakers, as the barrels had been, but behaved better. It was frequently out of sight, and was turned about by the counter currents, but never rolled over. As it neared the Whirlpool Rapids Percy put his head out, but drew it back in time to avoid the shock of the last breaker. This was the worst one of the lot, and Percy had been deceived by the lull in the current. Just before the craft went out of view for a moment, but turned up safely in the main stream. It did not circle around, but was carried toward the Canadian shore. Percy again emerged from the air chamber. He had been sufficiently shaken up, and seeing a chance to row ashore without encountering the Devil's Rapids, he did so, landing at Colli's elevator twenty minutes after he had struck the first breakers. Only five minutes were spent in the rapids. Percy was none the worse for his trip.

EPIDEMIC AMONG FISH.

Sharks of Streams in Illinois and Wisconsin Heaped With the Dead.

CHICAGO, Ill., Aug. 28.—Within the past two or three days the fish in many of the streams in this section have died by the million, and the few that are left are rapidly following suit. The banks of the Moline river and branches are lined with dead fish of all sizes and varieties from the tiny minnow to the mammoth cat and sturgeon. At Muskegon, Wis., a few miles from this place, dead fish are so numerous on the banks that the stench arising from them is almost unbearable. At Lancaster, Wis., the scene on the river bank beggars description, upward of fifty wagon loads of dead fish being in sight. There are rumors that the cause of this epidemic is the recent rains have flooded the water with mud, so that the fish have been unable to breathe, and struggling to the surface for air, have died. Another is that during the dry, hot summer, the valleys and marshes above were filled with poisonous miasma, which, with the recent floods, was carried into the streams and poisoned the water.

A Balla With Indians.

DANVILLE, Aug. 28.—The Republican's Guewood Springs special says: For a fortnight, who lives about five miles below Meeker, is just in. A battle has taken place between Kendall's men and a band of Indians. Deputy Sheriff Jack Ward is killed and several are wounded. Several Indians are reported killed. Several were so far as known, the fight was stopped by darkness and it is thought will certainly be resumed by daylight.

He Drove Into the Locomotive.

WESTPORT, Pa., Aug. 28.—A singular accident occurred on the railroad between here and Fraser last night, resulting in the death of Wm. Walton, a well-known citizen of Westport. Walton was driving home, and it seems that on reaching the railroad his horse left the wagon road and started down the track. A train going in the opposite direction struck the horse and ground it to pieces under the locomotive. Walton's body was also fearfully mangled.

No White Pupils Need Apply.

ATLANTA, Ga., Aug. 28.—In the Legislature today a resolution was passed rejecting away the \$5,000 appropriated to the Atlanta University unless that institute will give the Governor satisfactory assurance that it will not accept white pupils. It is believed by a great many that this resolution will be passed by the Senate, and that the Glenn bill will not be put on its passage.

Marries an Indian Heiress.

PIERCE, Dak., Aug. 28.—Douglas F. Carlin, chief clerk at the Chicago Agency, today married today to the daughter of the wealthiest Indian heiress on the Sioux reservation. Carlin is closely connected with prominent army officers, and with the Carlin of Illinois. Over one thousand Indians witnessed the ceremonies, and the festivities will last three days.

Champion Swimmer.

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 28.—Robert Magee, of Baltimore, won the long-distance swimming championship of America and a purse of \$500 yesterday by defeating Butler and Blackburn in a ten-mile race in the Delaware river. Butler held the championship for five years. The time of the race was: Magee, 2:37; Butler, 3:10; Blackburn, 3:25.

An Ambitious Celestial.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 28.—Moy Gong, a Chinaman and laundryman, has declared his intention before the Supreme Court of the District to become an American citizen. He declares that he is tired of washees, washers, and wants a Government office; either the position of an Indian agent or custom-house officer, would suit him.

Gladstone Resigns.

LONDON, Aug. 28.—Gladstone's resignation against the proclamation of the Irish National League was negatived to-night in the House of Commons by a vote of 272 to 194. Chamberlain, Collins and two other Unionists supported the minority.

The Inmates Spared.

OWASCO, Mich., Aug. 28.—During a storm the house of W. G. Kotchum was struck by lightning and shattered in almost every part, without injuring any of the eight persons who were eating supper, though all felt the shock. Every picture in the house was destroyed.

Drill Driven Through His Body.

FLINTTOWN, Pa., Aug. 28.—While George Eyer, a miner, was preparing a blast, the powder ignited by friction, and the drill with which he was pounding the charge was driven through his body.

MEAT FAMINE THREATENED.

Beef to Go as High as When the Cow Jumped Over the Moon.

CHICAGO, Aug. 28.—The Tribune this morning has a long article on the dressed beef ring, and how it is profiting by the low price of cattle. It says it is rumored in many quarters that a beef famine is not far away. Estimates as to the destruction of cattle in the Northwest last winter are that in Montana there were about 400,000 head, in Idaho about 100,000, in Wyoming about 300,000, in Colorado about 50,000, or 850,000 in all. During the summer on account of the excessive drought, it is estimated that the losses in the beef producing States, such as Illinois, Iowa, Ohio, Missouri, Kansas and in New Mexico, Texas, Minnesota, Nebraska and Dakota, swell the total to 1,500,000 head of beefsteers. Many, however, assert that these figures are far too high. But this is not the main fact which indicates future famine. It is now known that from 50 to 75 per cent less of calves were born this spring than is usual, owing to climatic causes, which must have its effect in time. To this must be added the fact that cattle producers have been rushing their surviving stock on the market at an unparalleled rate, and that from these and other causes many ranchmen are discouraged and going out of the business. Those who are opposed to this view argue that the total of 1,500,000 head of beefsteers, and 3,000,000 milk cows in the country. The bulk of these, however, enter into local consumption and use. A great uncertainty, such as never before characterized the cattle business, is manifest in business circles. The producer finds a dollar of profit and more often heavy losses charged against his account. The market price has been low on account of the glut, for in Chicago alone over 300,000 head of cattle have been thrust on the market during the last thirty days.

PLUCKY DEED

Of a Handsome Kentucky Woman in South Carolina.

COLUMBIA, S. C., Aug. 28.—Information received here is to the effect that a few days ago the Assistant Superintendent and the master of the Northwestern Railroad, accompanied by the sheriff of Williamsburg County, with a material train and force of hands, proceeded up a train road owned by T. C. Willoughby, a large planter, lumberman and manufacturer, and began at the extreme end of the road, tearing up and loading the rails which were wanted to Mr. Willoughby and about which there had been a dispute. Mr. Willoughby was absent in Philadelphia. On the evening when the train was loaded and ready to run on the main track Mrs. Willoughby, a handsome Kentucky woman, took a position on the road in front of the engine and refused to allow the train to pass over a sofa and rocking chair were there, and she "held the fort" all night, and declared she would remain there until her husband returned. The railroad attorney arrived and attempted, unsuccessfully, to make the woman vacate. Mrs. Willoughby employed lawyers, but no settlement could be arrived at. On the evening of the second day the railroad attorney ordered the train to run out at any cost. Mrs. Willoughby had armed herself with a sixteen shooting rifle, and the train came down upon her, instead of moving, she covered the engine with a rifle, and ordered the train to stop. She then fired a second order. After the train, superintendent and hands remained until a compromise satisfactory to Mrs. Willoughby was agreed to.

Ball With Bandits.

BROWNSVILLE, Tex., Aug. 28.—Customs policemen and troops, led by Senor Felix Tames and Joaquin Castilla and Captain Romero had a fight with Mariano and Rosendo and thirty bandits on the 17th inst., near San Carlos, in the mountains. The robbers were beaten and Rosendo was captured. They had in their possession a quantity of smuggled goods. Rosendo is wanted in the United States for smuggling, but that offense is not included in the list of extraditable offenses, and it is not likely he will be given up.

Story of Execution by Jack Sharp.

WATERLOO, N. Y., Aug. 28.—Judge Potter has granted a stay in the Sharp case. At 12:30 p. m. a nelson drove up to the entrance to Ludlow street jail, and a clerk from the office of Cochran & Clark entered the jail bearing the news of the granting of a stay. He handed the news to the jailer personally to Mr. Sharp, who read it without showing any signs of emotion or making any comments upon it. Mr. Sharp then handed it to his wife, who read it and seemed to be delighted at the news.

Old Woman Eats Her Whole Family.

WINNEPEG, Aug. 28.—Letters from Fraser and Stewart, dated Fort Chipewyan, July 25, state that they reached that point after many hardships. Forest fires have been numerous and destructive. Destitution at Fort Chipewyan last winter was terrible, and several cases of cannibalism are reported. One old woman at Little Red river admits having killed and eaten her whole family. Starvation and cannibalism are also reported from McKenzie river.

Baltimore Barker Replied.

BALTIMORE, Aug. 28.—Lloyd last night replied John Thomas Ross, negro, who was to have been hanged in Baltimore to-morrow, for two weeks. The reply was granted on the strength of a communication sent to the Governor by Judge Duffy, who passed sentence on Ross.

Government Deposits.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 28.—National Bank deposits now held \$30,354,204 of Government funds. This is the greatest amount of funds ever held by the depositaries at one time.

War Department Vacancies.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 28.—There are fifty-three vacancies in the War Department to be filled by civil service appointment. The Commission intends to extend the "examination for promotion," under which these vacancies occurred, to other departments.

Pennsylvania Prohibitionists.

HARRISBURG, Pa., Aug. 28.—Hos. E. H. Chase, of Easton, was nominated by the Prohibition Convention by acclamation for Supreme Judge. Captain D. C. Irish, of Newcastle, was nominated for State Treasurer by acclamation.

MINERS' PERILS.

Three Hundred of Them Caught in a Shaft.

Isle Which a Lake Suddenly Pours Its Waters—Luckily All Escape.

NANTICOKE, Pa., Aug. 25.—Terrible excitement was caused this morning in the coal No. 1 shaft at this place by the breaking away of earth barriers that separated a worked out portion of the colliery from the chambers where mining is in progress, and the sudden precipitation of a large body of water into a gateway where over three hundred miners were at work. For a long time there was a high subterranean reservoir has been forming, containing millions of gallons of water. This underground lake was 570 feet below the surface. The chamber where the men were at work was 150 feet further down, and about the same distance from the mined galleries. The first intimation the men had that the mine was being flooded was the sudden appearance of water in the chambers. As it increased in depth many hurriedly quit work and rushed to the bottom of the shaft. By this time a regular exodus from all parts of the colliery set in, the miners wading through water breast high before the last of them got out. The work of rescuing the men was proceeded with promptly, the steam-carriage taking up twenty at a time. All sorts of rumors were set afloat, and the mouth of the mine was crowded with anxious women and children, exhibiting the usual antics and frantic demonstrations. Luckily, all were taken out safely. Ninety mules perished. Work will be suspended for an indefinite period, as the water is still running in. Had the earth fissures been wide enough to admit the whole volume of water at once not a man would have been saved.

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RAILWAY WRECK.

Two Persons Killed and Twenty Injured on the B. and O.

WHEELING, W. Va., Aug. 24.—A frightful collision, with loss of life, occurred on the Baltimore and Ohio railroad at Eastonsiding, a point twenty-four miles east of this city, at eight o'clock this morning. A west-bound freight train was descending a heavy grade, when it crashed into a east-bound freight train with fearful velocity, wrecking both engines and badly smashing a large number of cars. The casualties reported are: Engineer Al Smith and Isaac Arbutnot, of the freight train, killed, and the seriously injured Patrick Fitzgerald, engineer of the freight train; two boys named Burke and Stansbury, of Grafton, W. Va., who were stealing a ride, and between twelve and fifteen emigrants whose names could not be learned. The accident was the result of a misapprehension of orders on the part of the engineer of the freight train, who thought he had the right of way, and pulled out to the siding just as the freight train came up.

Bill Kisses the Experience Oulders.

Fort Worth, Tex., Aug. 24.—Campbell Langley, the father of the once notorious and not yet forgotten Bill Langley, living in Bell County, Tex., says that his son, who was publicly hanged twelve years ago in Giddings, Lee County, by Sheriff Jim Brown, in the presence of several "good" people, was not hurt at all, but was allowed to escape, that the friends of Bill were permitted to arrange things so that when the drop fell the weight of the body fell upon an iron hoop, supported by an appropriate body harness. The coffin, which was actually buried, contained nothing but straw. While the Langley was being pronounced Bill Langley was well on his way out of the country. He has been living since his supposed execution in Nicaragua, where he is a leading citizen, and one of the largest owners of cattle herds in Central America.

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THE COMMONWEALTH.

The grand jury for Jessamine County returned into court the following list of sensational indictments against prominent politicians and civil and revenue officials: James Barkly, United States storekeeper and gauger, concealed weapons, assault and battery, and adulteration of liquors to the common nuisance of all good citizens, and against the peace and dignity of the Commonwealth of Kentucky; L. D. Baldwin, United States deputy collector, same charges; Wesley Hooker, McKinney Moss, Dick Moss and W. H. Phillips, judges of Jessamine County, same charges; W. T. Jones, Representative-elect, indicted for carrying concealed weapon; Henry A. Wehr, jailer of Jessamine County and judge of the sicclosa, for knowingly receiving other than a legal voter. The penalty is a fine and forfeiture of office. George Martin, Henry Rogers, James Young and George Bryant, illegal voting. The grand jury, upon mature reflection, and further investigation, withdrew the indictment of nuisance against Colonel L. D. Baldwin, United States Deputy Collector, and others, believing that the charges in the indictment could not be sustained by reliable witnesses, and for this grave and vague charge they substituted an indictment for assault and battery, which they believe is as strong as the facts elicited will warrant. Among the new indictments are two for libel, one against Henry T. Duane, of the Lexington Press, and the other against M. A. Cassidy, of the Lexington Sunday Banner. They published the report of W. T. Jones, that the poll-books had been found on the place of N. D. Miles, his without fear of God before their eyes, but being moved by the investigations of the devil, and so on. Bill in each case \$15,000.

The last snail in Somerset has expired, and local opinion is in force. There is great rejoicing among the anti-liquor men. For the past two years B. W. Stedley, of Dayton, near Newport, has been traveling through Texas. He kept up a correspondence with his wife until about a year since, when it suddenly ceased, and his wife gave him up for dead. A few days ago she received a letter from him, and

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Mr. M. F. Garred, of Richardson,

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Mr. W. O. B. Rutcliffe, of Pike

Hon. W. S. Harkins, of Preston-

J. E. Roberts, agent for the Singer

Wm. Jordau, who has been in

J. A. Hughes and wife left Mon-

Gauger John Rice left today for

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Dr. W. B. McClure and wife, of

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In Brief, and to the Point.

The human digestive apparatus is

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Diagnosed in Louisville, Wednesday

Burgess, aged 54 years. About

three weeks ago Mr. Burgess

was seized with acute dysentery,

and in spite of medical skill and

devoted attention of family and

friends, he succumbed to the dread

disease. He died quietly and with-

out pain, and in full possession of

his faculties. Mr. Burgess moved

from the old home place to Louis-

iana a few years ago, and was in

every sense one of our best and

most useful citizens. He was a

sober, industrious, honest man,

a consistent member of the M. E. Church

South, a most devoted husband and

father. He leaves a widow, one

married daughter—Mrs. Aug. Snyder—

two daughters just budding

into womanhood, and one little boy

to mourn an irreparable loss.

The funeral services will be held

at the M. E. Church South this

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A case of Deafness Cured.

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Dear Sirs:—About three months ago,

noticing a letter addressed to you in

the name of my son, I wrote you in

reference to the cure of his deaf-

"Flux."

To the Editor of the News:—

I desire to call the attention of the

public to the unjoined extract from a

medical journal of high standing in the

profession. The article relates to a

fatal disease now prevailing to a

considerable extent in certain portions

of Lawrence county. What is called

"flux" by non-professional and some

professional persons is the acute dysen-

tery of the books, the disease referred to

in our extract.

I have not had an opportunity to test

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I by no means advise any one to "fool"

with morphia. Let it be used only by

the physician, who should be sent for on

the first appearance of the malady. One

word as to food. No physician can say

in particular terms what shall or shall

not be eaten in this disease. But it is

safe to say that any or all articles of food

or drink which cause any derangement

of the stomach or bowels should at once

be banished from the table. This derange-

ment is nature's danger signal.

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G. W. W.

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I was a teacher some years ago

WESTERN ADVENTURE.

How My Stupidity Came Near
Costing Me My Life.

There was no use in expecting Patterson to dinner, but before eight o'clock or later. He would doubtless be a suitable horse at the first glance, at the ranchman might be away, or there were a dozen other reasons to fail for delay. We carried provisions with us, and at about six o'clock I built a fire and prepared my supper, and was about to begin eating when I caught sight of a horse and rider approaching camp from the northwest. The ground was open for three or four miles, and as I had a glass with me I made out, while the horse was yet a mile and a half away, that he bore a woman on his back. Had she been a slave the sight would not have occasioned surprise, but the first look showed that she was white and that her horse was faded and coming slowly. I held the glass on her for a moment, and then she disappeared. I pursued, and long before she reached me I had become greatly interested in her case. She rode straight for the wagon, and when she finally came up her horse was much blown, and the woman's eyes seemed to betray hope and fear. She was an average-looking girl, about forty years' old, and

side to the north without looking back. I stood and looked after them until I could no longer hear the beat of their horses' hoofs and I felt proud of my nerve in driving them away. It did not occur to me until the next day that either or both of them could have got the drop on me up to the time I raised my rifle, and that while they were making threats of what they would do they left their rifles lying across their saddles. They simply permitted me to force them out of camp at the muzzle of my Winchester, and that was a part of their plan. When I returned to the fire the woman was beside it, her face betraying fear and distress, and as soon as I came up she

—There are one hundred and one prisoners in the Washington Territory penitentiary.

INDISPUTABLE FACTS.

STIRRING THE CREAM.
An Operation Whose Proper Performance
Requires Considerable Care.
One of the most important operations
of the dairy is stirring the cream.
Simple as it appears, it is usually not

and again and again. Still the cream
 from the bottom will come boiling up
 on all sides. The motion is that of
 churning, but there is no churning, for
 no air is agitated with the cream, and
 the operation may be continued until
 the most perfect mixture has taken
 place. Thorough mixing of the cream
 secures perfect uniformity in ripening
 and that all the butter comes at once,
 so that none is lost in the butter milk
 under ordinary circumstances. Many
 prefer a wooden strainer because it may
 be left in the cream. It is made on the
 same plan, the disk and rod both being
 of some odorless wood.—Guernsey
 Breeder.

VORACIOUS MICROBES.
A New-Fangled Sort of a Worm That Eats

Government directed an inquiry to be made and a commission of surveillance to be formed for the purpose of maintaining close watch on the spot where the accidents—one of them attended with loss of life—had occurred, it was not, however, until after six months had elapsed that the surface of the rails appeared to be corroded, as if by acid, to the extent of one hundred yards. The rail was taken up and broken, and it was perceived that it was literally hollowed out by a thin gray worm, to which the qualification of "rallivorous" was assigned, and by which name it is to be classed in natural history. The worm is said to be two centimeters in length and of the size of the prong of a silver fork in circumference. It is of a light gray color, and on the head carries two little glands filled with a corrosive secretion, which is ejected every ten minutes upon the iron. This liquid renders the iron soft and spongy, and of the color of rust, and it is then greedily devoured by the insect. "There is no exaggeration," says the official report of the commission, "in the assertion that this creature, for its size, is one of the most voracious kinds, for it has devoured thirty-six kilograms of rail in the course of its life."

THE MARKETS.		
CINCINNATI Aug. 29.		
LIVESTOCK—Cattle—Common	50	3 25
Choice Butchers	3 40	4 00
HOGS—Common	4 10	4 70
Good Packers	5 00	5 35
SHEEP—Good to choice	3 40	4 25
LAMBS—Good to choice	4 75	5 50
WHEAT—No. 2	3 10	3 35

GRAIN—Wheat—No. 3 red	73
Corn—Mixed	45
Oats—Mixed	PR14
PORK—Mesa	17 00
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